

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:	George A. OLAH	Conf. No.:	
Serial No.:	To be assigned (DIV of 09/858,584)	Art Unit:	1755 (assumed)
Filed:	Concurrently Herewith	Examiner:	J. PASTERCZYK (assumed)
For:	ENVIRONMENTALLY SAFE ALKYLATION OF ALIPHATIC AND AROMATIC HYDROCARBONS WITH OLEFINS USING SOLID HF- EQUIVALENT CATALYSTS	Atty. Dkt. No:	5431-019-999

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-captioned application on its merits, the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the foregoing amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this submission;

**A Listing of the Pending Claims** begins on page 3 of this submission; and

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of the submission.